

OUR SCHOOL



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6th grade, 3rd Primary School, Veria, Greece
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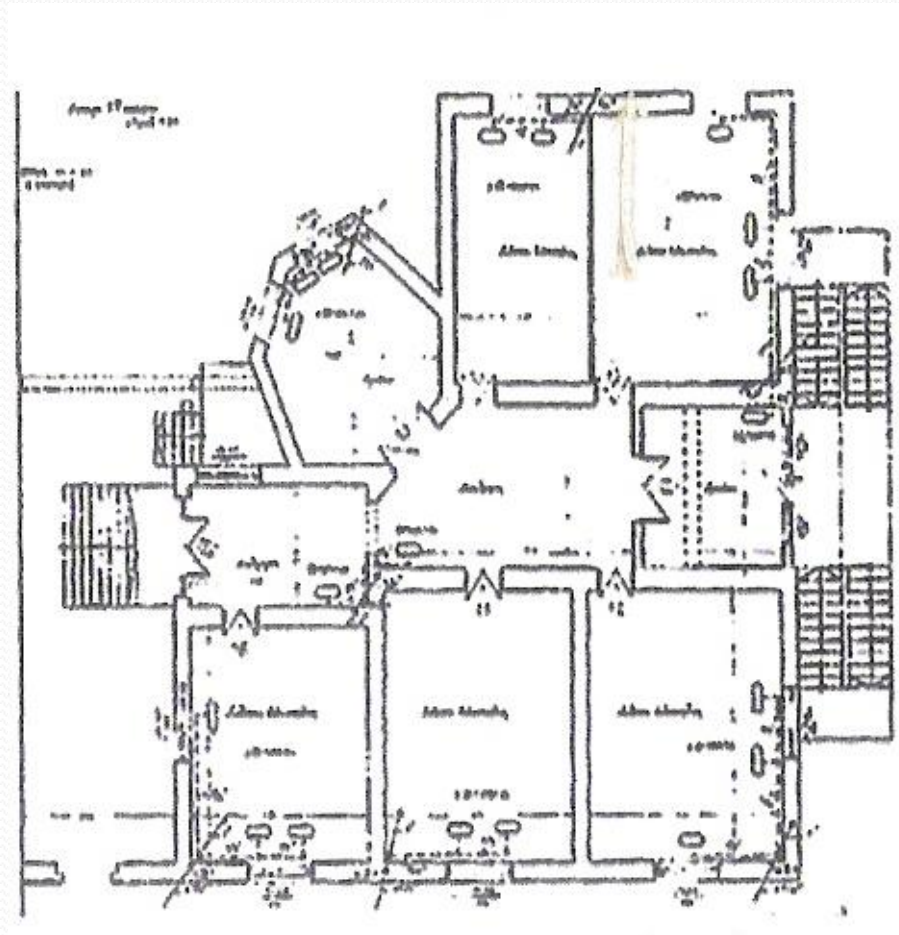


- *Our school is situated in Markou Mpotsari street, opposite the Court House and close to the Medrese Mosque and the Apostle Paul's Altar.*
- *It is about an old Turkish school that it was built in the early 20th century (1909).*

- For its construction, there were used stones from a byzantine tower and from the town's old stone clock.



It has three floors, a tiled roof and a strong influence of Neoclassicism and Baroque. The ground plan is in the shape of a “Γ” .



Its function

- The building continued to work as a Turkish school even after the town's release (1912). It started working as a Greek school after 1924 and kept on during the German occupation of the city.
- During the civil war, the basement of the school was used as a prison.
- Nowadays, it houses the 3rd Primary School on the first floor, and the 14th Primary School on the second floor. On the mezzanine floor there are three classrooms and a large school room used both as an indoor gym on the rainy days and as a canteen for the all-day elementary school.

SIDE VIEW



FRONT VIEW

